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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

**Administration for Children and Families** 

**Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request** 

Title: Child Care Development Fund, CCDF; Reporting Improper Payments; Instructions for

States.

OMB No.: 0970-0323.

Description: Section 2 of the Improper Payments Act of 2002 provides for estimates and reports

of improper payments by Federal agencies. Subpart K of 45 CFR, part 98 will require States to

prepare and submit a report of errors occurring in the administration of CCDF grant funds once

every three years.

The Office of Child Care (OCC) is completing the third 3-year cycle of case record reviews to

meet the requirements for reporting under IPIA. The current forms and instructions expire

September 30, 2015. OCC is submitting the information collection for renewal clearance with

minor changes. Responders will now have additional guidance and clarification in the

instructions and errors have been corrected. New language incorporates requirements from the

2014 Child Care and Development Fund Block Grant Act passed in November 2014.

Respondents: State grantees, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico

ANNUAL BURDEN ESTIMATES

Instrument	Number of	Number of	Average Burden	Total Burden
	Respondents	Responses per	Hours per	Hours
		Respondent	Response	
Sampling	17	1	106	1802
Decisions and				
Fieldwork				
Preparation Plan				
Record Review	17	276	6.33	29,700.36
Worksheet				
State Improper	17	1	639	10,863
Authorizations				
for Payment				
Report				
Corrective	8	1	156	1248
Action Plan				

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:

43,613.36

## Additional Information:

Copies of the proposed collection may be obtained by writing to the Administration for Children and Families, Office of Planning, Research and Evaluation, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, SW., Washington, DC 20447, Attn: ACF Reports Clearance Officer. All requests should be identified by the title of the information collection. E-mail address: infocollection@acf.hhs.gov.

## **OMB Comment:**

OMB is required to make a decision concerning the collection of information between 30 and 60 days after publication of this document in the Federal Register. Therefore, a comment is best assured of having its full effect if OMB receives it within 30 days of publication. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent directly to the following:

Office of Management and Budget,

Paperwork Reduction Project,

Email: OIRA\_SUBMISSION@OMB.EOP.GOV.

Attn: Desk Officer for the Administration for Children and Families.

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